The

ISSUE 12 CHAINGUN ISLAND zine

"The 1-Year Anniversary"!!

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MY WORLD

Hey, kid.

Looks like you just stumbled upon an issue of the CHAINGUN ISLAND ZINE!!!

The craziest ZINE in the Southern Ohio area! This ZINE is chock-full of mind-bending journalism that'll be sure to make the authority figure of your choice's head spin! We got Music, Movies, and Videogames out the wazoo! That ain't so bad, eh?

Anywho… I'm your eclectic ZJ (Zine Jockey for those uninformed) 8-Track TeckHead, the undead cyborg from Milford.

ENJOY THE ~~[illegible]~~ ONE YEAR ANNIVERSARY!!!!!!!!

← Odbal

THE BLURB

Issue 12, BRACE YOURSELVES! WE MADE IT! THE 1-YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF THE CHAINGUN ISLAND ZINE! I still can't believe that I managed to stick with a project like this for THIS LONG! It's certainly gone over better than some of my… previous ventures. I used to write down ideas for what I thought were KICK-ASS videogames 'n send 'em to game companies to see if they'd pay me for 'em, but NOBODY LIKED 'EM! I wasn't makin' a livin'... well, I'm not exactly makin' a LIVIN' off-a this either... BUT THIS AIN'T ABOUT THAT! It's about THIS! On the EXACT anniversary of the ZINE, I decided to release a lil' SINGLE for yer listenin' pleasure… so go check it out ON-LINE on the CHAINGUN ISLAND WEBSITE! And now, the FUTURE! I've been thinkin'-a even MORE ways to ECLECTI-FY the ZINE, 'n I think I got JUST THE THING! I've been noticin' a lot-a PERC-U-LATION in the Milford rock scene! It's the perfect storm to flex my MIND-BENDIN' JOURNALIST muscles! So STAY TUNED! And now… ISSUE 12, KICK IT!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

TECKHEAD'S DIGS

K-PIST - Enemies Of Silence

They're back! And this time, they're still ON FIRE… for the most part. Thankfully, K-PIST still got that good 'ol HIGH-ACTION Rage-Against-The-GameBoy sound of Voltage Controlled, but this time, they've cranked up the HIP-HOP a good half-turn! Now they're featurin' DJ's 'n Rappers 'n stuff! K-PIST already HAS such a unique sound in my humble opinion, 'n I just don't think they NEED anythin' else to spice things up, y'know? Don't get me wrong, I still think this album is GREAT! It's just I think they could've done JUST as well without all the featured artists. That bein' said, I'd have to say my fav'rite track would hafta be "Under The Table", the album's hit single "C64"'s pretty tight as well, but I'm a sucka for Drum-'n'-Bass 'n ALL it's adjacents, 'n "Under The Table" moves the needle there!

All-in-all, I give this SUPAH sophomore album 4 outta 5 TeckHeads!

If only these guys kept goin'... not only is this a sophomore album, it's also a swan song. Sigh.

Genre: Electronic Hip-Hop
Country: Scandinavia
Label: North Of No South Records
Released: 2002

TECKHEAD'S GAME DU JOUR

Crazy Taxi 2 - Sega Dreamcast

"WE'RE BACK!" Boy, was I glad to hear that voice again! Crazy Taxi 2 is ALMOST exactly like the first, with that classic BREAKNECK SPEED! Except this time, yer taxi can also JUMP! Instead of the sun-kissed paradise of… San Francisco, you get the urban wonderland of… New York City. After givin' Crazy Taxi 2 the 'ol college try NUMEROUS times 'n ALMOST beatin' all of Crazy Pyramid, Crazy Taxi 1 is still one-a my favorite games of all time. The "Around Apple" map is a bit too complicated and angle-y for 'ol TeckHead, but that may be an issue of skill on my end… and they got rid-a BAD RELIGION too! Much like K-PIST, Crazy Taxi was perfect from the very beginnin' anythin' else is EXTRA!

All-in-all, I'd give this So-so sequel 3.5 outta 5 TeckHeads.

Who knows? Maybe Crazy Taxi 3'll really KNOCK MY SOCKS OFF next year!

Developer: Hitmaker
Publisher: SEGA
Released: 2001

Odbal's Pick

Twist And Shout - Rodney Dangerfield

Heh-heh-HEY boisengoils! It's time for an Odbal Pick! Well whaddya know?! Another DEEEEEEEEMENTED 45 from one-a-my FAV'RITE comedians, RODNEY DANGERFIELD! This time, instead-a throwin' down some HIP-HOP, he's takin' it back OL'-SKOOL with sum SOCK-HOP! I tell ya, he's got some PIPES! I smoked all mine away. Sadly boisengoils, there ain't no B-side, it's just Twist-n-Shout without the most important part, RODNEY! Now what good's that?!

A pretty ODD BALL Odbal Pick, eh?

Released: 1986
Genre: Twist
Country: USA
Label: MCA Records

Cassetta's Flick

M - 1931

Good evening, Ladies and Larries. I've got a real oldie for you all tonight that'll… bore you to tears and then really make you think right at the end! M follows the story of a kindermörder (child murderer, oh great) loose in Weimar-era Germany and the resulting vigilante justice thanks to beggars and burglars that ultimately does this irredeemable monster in. When they finally caught the bastard, I was so waiting to see his head get kicked in (it's a foreign film from the 30's, you know things are gonna get nuts!) just as much as the townspeople in the film, but alas, the one public defender in the room just had to turn him over to the police. While it was an incredibly unsatisfying ending, I realized that it had to be that way. In order to have a society, every wrongdoer must be subject to the same laws. Oh well. On top of that, the film up until that point was rather boring. It's German, so everything is completely and totally serious. It may be long and boring, but the message is incredibly poignant to me. I'd still say you should give this flick a try.

Director: Fritz Lang
Writers: Fritz Lang and Thea von Harbou
Genre: Mystery
Runtime: 111 Minutes

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